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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

## Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [] Preliminary Amendment; [x] Amendment and Reply to Office Action; [x] Exhibit A - Appendix of Amendments; [] Supplemental Amendment; [] a substitute Specification; [] a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132; [] a Supplemental Declaration; [] a Power of Attorney; [] an Associate Power of Attorney; and [] formal drawings; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

## FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- [x] A fee for additional claims is not required.
- [ ] A fee for additional claims is required.

The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

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The following extension is applicable to the Response filed herewith; [ ] \$110.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [ ] \$390.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [ ] \$890.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [ ] \$1390.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a); [ ] \$1890.00 extension fee for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

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